

# A Guide to Resources for

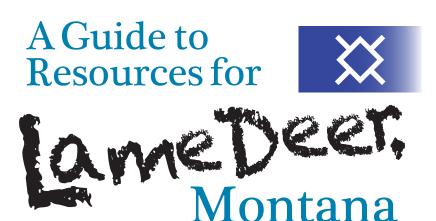












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#### 24-HOUR EMERGENCY AND CRISIS HELP

#### **Emergency**

# **Big Horn County Disaster and Emergency Services**

(406) 665-1731

# Big Horn County Sheriff's Office

(406) 665-9720

# **Bureau of Indian Affairs Northern Cheyenne Agency**

Law Enforcement (406) 477-6288

# Montana Department of Justice District IV (Big Horn County)

Highway Patrol (406) 896-4351

# Montana Department of Justice District V (Rosebud County)

Highway Patrol (406) 377-5238

## **Northern Cheyenne Nation Ambulance Service**

(406) 477-6774

#### **Northern Cheyenne Nation Fire Protection**

(406) 477-8161

## Rosebud County Sheriff's Office

406) 346-2715

# **Rosebud County Fire Department**

(406) 346-4270

# Crisis Help

# **Alcohol and Drug Treatment Referrals**

(800) 262-4944

#### **American Red Cross**

(406) 245-3512

#### **Animal Shelter**

(406) 657-8226

#### Ask-A-Nurse

(800) 762-8778

#### **Battered Victims**

(406) 259-8100

#### **Billings Clinic Health Line**

(800) 252-1246



## **Child Abuse Help Line**

(866) 820-5437

#### **Child Find of America**

(800) 426-5678

# **Crime Stoppers**

(406) 252-5658

#### **National Domestic Violence Hotline**

(800) 799-7233

## **Poison Control**

(800) 525-5042

# Rape, Abuse, Incest Hotline

(800) 656-4673

#### Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence

(406) 259-8100

#### **Suicide Prevention Lifeline**

(800) 273-8255

## **Tumbleweed Runaway Program**

(406) 259-2558



#### **CHILD CARE**

#### **Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services**

Human and Community Services Division Early Childhood Services Bureau Arcade Building

111 North Jackson Helena, MT 59601 Phone: (406) 444-1788

Website: <a href="http://www.dphhs.mt.gov/hcsd/childcare/">http://www.dphhs.mt.gov/hcsd/childcare/</a>

The mission of the Early Childhood Services Bureau is to improve the quality, affordability, and accessibility of child care in Montana, with focused efforts on coordinated systems to best meet the needs of young children, their families, and the professionals who work on behalf of young children and families. The programs that are offered are Best Beginnings Child Care Scholarships, Best Beginnings Quality Programs, Child and Adult Care Food Program, and School Readiness.

**The Best Beginnings Child Care Scholarships** offer child care payment assistance to low-income parents who are working and/or participating in pre-approved education programs.

The Best Beginnings Quality Programs provides child care providers with startup, expansion, and training opportunities.

**The Child and Adult Care Food Program** provides reimbursement for meals served in participating institutions when those meals meet the federal US Department of agriculture (USDA) regulations and align with the current Dietary Guidelines for Americans. The CACFP is available to infants, children, and impaired or older adults enrolled in institutions that participate in the CACFP. Eligible institutions are family day care homes, child care centers, afterschool and outside school hour facilities, adult day care facilities, and emergency shelters.

**The School Readiness Program** provides education to families, communities, service providers, and schools on how to support and development of skills and positive behaviors, as well as enhances the environment in which children spend their time.



## Quality Assurance Division Child Care Licensing Program Rosebud County

2200 Box Elder #10 Miles City, MT 59102 Phone: (406) 234-4581 Fax: (406) 234-3270

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/earlychildhood

# Quality Assurance Division Child Care Licensing Program Big Horn County

2121 Rosebud Drive

Suite D

Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 655-7632 Phone 2: (406) 655-7633

The role of the Child Care Licensing Program is to regulate and monitor child care facilities. Additionally, the Child Care Licensing Bureau is responsible for protecting the health, safety and well-being of the children receiving care in Montana. The program conducts regular surveys of child care facilities and conducts complaint investigations upon receiving a complaint against a specific group home and/or administration/staff.

#### **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

# **Child Care Development and Fund**

201 East Boundary

PO Box 368

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8341 Fax: (406) 477-6238

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am -5pm

The Child Care Development and Fund Program provide child care services to enrolled members of the Northern Cheyenne Nation and eligible for financial assistance.

# St. Labre Youth and Family Services

PO Box 458

Ashland, MT 59003 Phone: (406) 784-4522

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 4:30pm

The St. Labre Youth and Family Services provide residential child care and counseling, horsemanship instruction. They also have a clothing store. Eligible children are 6 – 17 years old.

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#### **DISABILITY**

## **Developmental Educational Assistance Program**

PO Box 972

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 748-4629

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The Developmental Education Assistance Program (DEAP) offers services for youth age 18 and under with developmental disabilities, delays, and those at risk of delays. Their services include both home services to enhance child development and care and community based services.

#### **Home Care Services**

PO Box 1170

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8555

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

Home Care Services provides personal care and meal preparation for the elderly, disabled, and Medicaid recipients.

# Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services

Developmental Services Division
Children's Mental Health

Children's Mental Health

Region I (Rosebud County) and Region III (Big Horn County)

2121 Rosebud Drive

Suite C-1

Billings, MT 59102 Phone: (406) 655-7602

Fax: (406) 652-1895

The Children's Mental Health Bureau provides mental health services for children under age 18. Services include Medicaid mental health services such as inpatient psychiatric services and outpatient partial hospitalization programs, community-based services, mental health center community-based outpatient services, and services by mental health professionals. The Bureau also provides non-Medicaid Mental Health Services including the Children's Mental Health Services Plan and Supplemental Services Plan.



## **Developmental Services Division**

Early Intervention Services Region I (Rosebud County)

226 6th Street South Glasgow, MT 59230 Phone: (406) 228-8265 Fax: (406) 228-8264

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/dsd/homebasedservicestofamilies/earlyinterven-

tionservices.shtml

# **Developmental Services Division**

**Early Intervention Services Region III (Big Horn County)** 

2016 Grand Avenue Billings, MT 59102 Phone: (406) 281-5885 Fax: (406) 245-1149

Website:www.dphhs.mt.gov/dsd/homebasedservicestofamilies/earlyinterven-

tionservices.shtml

Early Childhood Intervention provides home-based services to children from birth to 3 years of age. Services available include: Family Support Coordination; Assistive Technology; Audiology; Family Education, Counseling and Home Visits; Nursing; Health Related; Medical; Nutrition; Occupational, Physical and Speech Therapy; Psychological; Vision; Social Work; Special Instruction; and Transportation.

## **Developmental Services Division**

**Developmental Disabilities Program** 

Region I (Custer County) 114 North 7th PO Box 880

Miles City, MT 59301 Phone: (406) 232-2595 Fax: (406) 232-0855

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/dsd/ddp

The Developmental Disabilities Program contracts with private, non-profit corporations to provide services across the lifespan for individuals who have developmental disabilities and their families. The focus of the program is to tailor care to the individual and provide it in as natural environment as possible.



## **Developmental Services Division**

# Montana Developmental Center 310 West 4th Avenue

PO Box 87

Boulder, MT 59632 Phone: (406) 225-4411 Fax: (406) 225-4414

The Montana Development Center is the state's only residential facility for individuals with development disabilities that provides 24-hour care for those with the most severe behaviors or severe self- help deficits. Habilitation services include vocational training, recreation, nursing services, occupational and physical therapy, and access to medical care.

# **Developmental Services Division**

# Vocational Rehabilitation Programs Region IV (Billings Office)

2121 Rosebud Drive

Suite C

Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 248-4801

Phone 2: 1 (888) 279-7532 (Toll Free) Phone 3: (406) 652-6046 (TTY)

Fax: (406) 652-1781

Email: <a href="mailto:hhsvrbillings@mt.gov">hhsvrbillings@mt.gov</a>

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/vocrehab/vrs

## **Developmental Services Division**

# Vocational Rehabilitation Programs Region IV (Miles City Office)

114 North 7th Street Miles City, MT 59301

Phone 1: (406) 232-0583 (Voice/TTY) Phone 2: (877) 296-1198 (Toll Free)

Fax: (406) 232-0885

Email: hhsvrmilescity@mt.gov

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/vocrehab/vrs

The Vocational Rehabilitation Program helps people with disabilities find or maintain employment. The program offers services that include evaluation, career counseling and guidance, medical and psychological, training, job development and placement, rehabilitation technology, post- employment, referrals, instruction, mobility training, and low vision.



## **Developmental Services Division**

Blind and Low Vision Services Big Horn and Rosebud County

2121 Rosebud Drive

Suite C

Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 248-4801

Phone 2: (888) 279-7532 (Toll Free)

Fax: (406) 652-1781

Blind and Low Vision Services provides a broad range of services to assist eligible individuals with visual disabilities in finding or maintaining employment and increasing independence. They have three programs: Vocational Rehabilitation, Visual Medical, and Older Blind.

The Blind and Low Vision Vocational Rehabilitation Program offers services that include evaluation, career counseling and guidance, medical and psychological, training, job development and placement, rehabilitation technology, post-employment, referrals, instruction, and mobility training.

The Visual Medical Program assists people who need eye treatment to prevent blindness, restore sight, or provide other appropriate eye treatment where loss of vision cannot be prevented or sight restored. Services include diagnosis, surgery and treatment, hospitalization, prosthetic appliances, transportation, and follow-up exams.

The Older Blind Program assists older visually impaired or blind individuals. Services include low vision evaluations, purchase of adaptive aids, daily living skill instruction, orientation and mobility training, referral to other agencies, and other supplemental services.

# **Living Independently for Today and Tomorrow**

# **Billings Office**

3333 2nd Avenue North

Suite #100

Billings, MT 59101

Phone 1: (406) 259-5181

Phone 2: (406) 245-1225 (TTY)

Phone 3: (800) 669-6319 Website: www.liftt.org

# **Northern Cheyenne Office**

PO Box 1146

Ashland, MT 59003 Phone: (406) 679-0063 Website: www.liftt.org

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Living Independently for Today and Tomorrow (LIFTT) is a nonprofit organization that serves persons of all ages and disabilities in Montana. LIFTT offers consumer services such as information and referral, self-advocacy, peer support, skills training, self-directed personal assistance. LIFTT also offers community services including social action and systems change.

## Montana Telecommunications Access Program (MTAP)

111 North Last Chance Gulch PO Box 4210 Helena, MT 59604 1(800)833-8503 (V, TTY) 444-1335 (local) (V, TTY) E-mail: relay@mt.gov

The mission of the Montana Telecommunications Access Program is to improve the quality of life for all Montanans through education, innovation, and technology by enhancing communications options. MTAP does this by overseeing the Montana Relay program, which allows people who are deaf to use telephone services, and by offering assistive equipment and services to Montanans whose disabilities make it hard for them to use the phone.

## **Parents Let's Unite for Kids**

516 North 32nd Street Billings, MT 59101

Phone 1: (406) 255-0540

Phone 2: (800) 222-7585 (Toll Free)

Website: www.pluk.org

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

Parents Let's Unite for Kids (PLUK) focuses on integration and participation of those with disabilities or illnesses at school, work, home, and community. PLUK offers support for families to maintain children at home, decision-making empowerment, access to appropriate education, technology, activities, and rights of those with disabilities. PLUK also offers after-school tutoring. All services are at no cost to families.

#### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

## **Angela's Piazza**

420 Grand Avenue Billings, MT 5901 Phone: (406) 255-0611

Hours: Monday – Friday, 10am – 5pm

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Angela's Piazza is where women come together to help each other. Services include the following: medicine wheel; 12-step programs geared for women; supports services for women in prison, on pre-release, or recently out of prison; education and support for domestic abuse; sexual assault support groups; support group for girls ages 8-15; classes on parenting and nutrition; assistance in writing resumes and job interviewing; and pastoral counseling, advocacy, and referrals.

#### **Billings Area Family Violence Task Force**

**PO Box 484** 

Billings, MT 59103

Phone: (406) 477-6432 (Northern Cheyenne Crisis and Support)

Email: bafvtf.montana@yahoo.com

Website: www.bafvtf.org

The mission of the Billings Area Family Violence Task Force is to be a source of community education and coordination for existing programs that aid victims of family violence and reduce family violence. A family violence resource handbook is available to the public through their website and at their office.

#### **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

## **Healing Hearts and Domestic Violence Advocate**

PO Box 8

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6412

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

Healing Hearts provides a safe place for individuals seeking help related to domestic violence. They have advocates that work with individuals and families and resources such as transportation to shelters and emergency supplies. They offer services on the Northern Cheyenne Reservation, in Colstrip, and in other communities throughout the state.

## **National Indigenous Women's Resource Center**

515 Lame Deer Avenue Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-3896 Email: info@niwrc.org Website: http://niwrc.org

The National Indigenous Women's Resource Center is a Native nonprofit organization that was created specifically to serve as the National Indian Resource Center (NIRC) addressing Domestic Violence and Safety for Indian Women. They are committed to reclaiming the sovereignty of Native nations and safeguarding Native women and their children through public awareness and

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Resources for

resource development, training and technical assistance, policy development, and resource activities.

#### The Women's Resource Center

## **Advocacy and Safe Home Program**

Victim Witness Program PO Box 888

Dillon, MT 59725

Phone 1: (406) 683-6106

Phone 2: (800) 253-9811 (Toll Free)

The Women's Resource Center Victim Witness Program has a shelter and provides the following services: peer counseling, information and referral, crisis intervention, self-help library, legal and justice advocacy, emergency, medical, financial, and housing assistance.

#### **YWCA**

# **Domestic Violence Victim Services and Gateway House**

909 Wyoming Avenue Billings, MT 59101

Phone 1: (406) 245-4472

Phone 2: (406) 259-8100 (24-Hour Crisis Line) Website: <a href="https://www.ymcabillings.org/dvvs-gateway">www.ymcabillings.org/dvvs-gateway</a>

The YWCA Domestic Violence Victim Services (DWS) and Gateway House offer hope and healing to survivors of any form of domestic violence. Anyone experiencing family violence is eligible for some or all services at no cost. Services include 24-hour Crisis Line, secure emergency shelter, support groups, legal advocacy, information and referrals, and awareness education.

#### **EDUCATION**

# **Aaniiih Nakoda College**

PO Box 159

Harlem, Montana 59526 Phone: (406) 353-2607 Website: <u>www.fbcc.edu</u>

The mission of Aaniiih Nakoda College is to provide quality post-secondary education for residents of the Fort Belknap Indian Reservation and surrounding communities. The college will help individuals improve their lives by offering them an opportunity to maintain their cultural integrity of the Gros Ventre and

lame Deer, Montana Assiniboine Tribes as well as succeed in an American technological society. The college offers an Associate of Arts in American Indian Studies, Business, Early Childhood Education, Elementary Education, Human Services, Liberal Arts, and Psychology. The college also offers an Associate of Science in Allied Health, Business Technology, Computer Information Systems, and Natural Resources. In addition to these associate degrees, the college offers vocational training opportunities in Carpentry, Natural Resources Water Quality, and Tribal Management.

#### **Adult Education and Student Services**

PO Box 98

Lame Deer, MT 59043

Phone: (406) 477-6215 ext. 128

The Adult Education and Student Services provides Adult Basic Education (ABE) diagnostic testing and tutoring to students wishing to brush up on their basics and to provide GED diagnostic and tutoring for those wishing to attain a GED certificate. Any adult over 16 years of age is eligible for ABE tutoring. A student must be at least 16 years of age to take the GED test.

#### **Ashland Public Schools**

12 Old Mission Road

PO Box 17

Ashland, MT 59003 Phone: (406) 784-2568

Ashland Public Schools serve students in Kindergarten to 8th grade.

# **Blackfeet Community College**

504 Southeast Boundary Street

PO Box 819

Browning, MT 59417

Phone 1: (406) 338-5441 (Administration and Academic Affairs)

Phone 2: (406) 338-5421 (Student Services)

Phone 3: (800) 549-7457 (Toll Free)

Website: www.bfcc.edu

The mission of Blackfeet Community College is to provide the Blackfeet Nation and the "Universal Community" access to quality educational programs that prepare students for achievement in higher education, meaningful employment, basic skills instruction, and community education, while integrating the Blackfeet culture and language. Degrees offered include Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, Associate of Applied Science, and Certificates in the following areas of study: Allied Health, Blackfeet Studies, Certified Drivers License, Computer Science, Construction Technology, Early Childhood Education, English and

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Communication, Environmental Science, Forestry, General Studies, Health and Physical Education, Heavy Equipment, Hospitality and Resort Management, Human Services, and Math/Science.

## **Blessed Sacrament Church**

PO Box 100

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6384

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 3:30pm

Blessed Sacrament Church offers spiritual counseling, religious education for children in preschool to 6th grade every Sunday at 11am, and 12 Step programs every Wednesday and Thursday at 8pm.

## **Carroll College**

1601 North Benton Avenue

Helena, MT 59625

Phone 1: (406) 447-4300

Phone 2: (800) 992-3648 (Toll Free) Website: <a href="https://www.carroll.edu/academics">www.carroll.edu/academics</a>

Carroll college is a private, Catholic, liberal arts undergraduate and pre-professional college. The college offers a variety of majors. The pre-professional programs include Dentistry, Law, Medicine, Optometry, Pharmacy, Physical Therapy, Physician's Assistant, and Veterinary Medicine.

## **Chief Dull Knife College**

Admissions PO Box 98

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6215

Website: http://www.cdkc.edu/

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 4:30pm

The mission of Chief Dull Knife College (CDKC) is to provide quality educational opportunities to residents of the Northern Cheyenne Reservation and surrounding communities, and to provide Northern Cheyenne culturally influenced education through quality life-long learning opportunities. CDKC offers Associates of Arts degree and Associates in Applied Sciences degrees programs. The college also has student support services such as tutoring, academic advising, career counseling, remedial courses, and student organizations.



#### **Adult Education and Student Services**

PO Box 98

Lame Deer, MT 59043

Phone: (406) 477-6215 ext. 128

The Adult Education and Student Services program provides Adult Basic Education (Abe) and General Education Diploma (GED) diagnostic testing and tutoring. Eligible persons are 16 years of age and older, from low-income families, first generation and/or physically handicapped.

## **Dr. John Woodenlegs Library**

PO Box 98

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8293

Website: http://woodenlegslibrary.us/

Hours: Monday – Thursday, 8am – 5pm; Friday, 8am – 4:30pm

The Library serves as both an academic and community library. The library loans materials and has computers available for use to members of the Northern Cheyenne Community, Chief Dull Knife students, faculty and staff as well as the surrounding area. An interlibrary loan service is also provided. There are also summer literacy programs for children.

#### **Upward Bound**

PO Box 98

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6215

The Upward Bound program of Montana State University-Billings and housed at Chief Dull Knife College offers services such as tutoring, assessment and advising, exposure to various events, students resources, financial advising, SAT & ACT prep, college tours, TRiO Tuesdays, college application and selection help, scholastic advising, and the Bridge Program.

# **Montana State University**

# Northern Veteran's Upward Bound

Cisel Hall, 3rd Floor 1500 University Drive Billings, MT 59102-0298 Phone: (406) 657-2086

The MSU-Northern Veteran's Upward Bound program is housed on the Montana State University-Billings Campus but has a partnership with Chief Dull Knife College. There are two programs: the Veteran's College Transition Program and the Tribal College Program.

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A Guide to Resources for The Veteran's College Transition Program is a ten-week developmental skill program held on the MSU-Billings campus each semester. The course work is non-credit refresher course in math, writing, reading, speech, science and computers. All these courses are offered free of charge to eligible veterans.

The Tribal College Program allows eligible veterans to enroll at Chief Dull Knife College. The program pays up to \$360.00 for tuition only. To qualify, veterans must complete the college's or VUB's skill assessment in math, writing and reading. Qualified veterans of this program also can receive assistance with applying for veterans' benefits, federal financial aid, and career assessment and planning.

#### **Colstrip Public Schools**

District Office PO Box 159 Colstrip, MT 59323

Phone: (406) 748-2920 Colstrip High School

PO box 159

Colstrip, MT 59323 Phone: (406) 748-4699

## **Frank Brattin Middle School**

PO Box 159

Colstrip, MT 59323 Phone: (406) 748-4699

## **Pine Butte Elementary**

PO Box 159

Colstrip, MT 59323 Phone: (406) 748-4699

# **Isabel Bills Community Learning Center**

PO Box 159

Colstrip, MT 59323 Phone: (406) 748-4699

**Preschool Program** 

PO Box 159

Colstrip, MT 59323

Phone: (406) 748-4699 ext. 4086

Colstrip Public Schools is home of the Mustangs. The schools service students in preschool to 12th grade. The Community Learning Center facility is available to community members for business and activities. It also houses afterschool programs and the preschool. The preschool program is for children ages 3 to 6

lame Deer, Montana who have an active Individualized Education Plan through the Colstrip Public School's Special Education Department.

#### **Dawson Community College**

300 College Drive

Glendive, Montana 59330 Phone 1: (406) 377-3396

Phone 2: (800) 821-8320 (Toll Free)

Fax: (406) 377-8132

Website: www.dawson.edu

The mission of Dawson Community College is to create and continuously improve opportunities for students to discover their world in excellent academic programs, connect with others through campus and community activities, and contribute to relevant educational and lifelong learning experience. Degrees offered include an Associate of Arts and Associate of Science in a variety of disciplines. Other degrees offered include Applied Science in Agribusiness Technology, Agribusiness Technology, Business Management, Criminal Justice, Criminal Justice Law Enforcement, Early Childhood Education, Engineering Technology, Music Technology, and Welding Technology and Certificates of Applied Science in Correctional Officer, Early Childhood Education, Gas and Diesel Technology, Livestock Technology and Welding Technology.

# Flathead Valley Community College

## **Main Campus**

777 Grandview Drive Kalispell, MT 59901 Phone 1: (406) 756-3822

Phone 2: (800) 313-3822 (Toll Free)

Email: <u>info@fvcc.edu</u>
Website: <u>www.fvcc.edu</u>

## **Lincoln County**

225 Commerce Way Libby, MT 59923 Phone: (406) 293-2721

Website: <u>www.fvcc.edu</u>

The mission of Flathead Valley Community College is to promote excellence in lifelong learning, focused on student success and community needs. Degrees offered include an Associate of Arts and an Associate of Science in a variety of disciplines. The college also offers the following career and technical programs: Associate of Science Degree in Nursing, Associate of Arts in Substance Abuse Counseling, and Associate of Applied Science, Certificate of Applied Science and Certificates in a variety of fields.



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## **Fort Peck Community College**

PO Box 398 Poplar, MT 59255

Phone: (406) 768-6300 Website: <u>www.fpcc.edu</u>

The mission of Fort Peck Community College (FPCC) is to meet the unique educational needs of Indian people. FPCC believes that the opportunity for higher education must be provided on the reservation. FPCC is committed to preserving Indian culture, history, and beliefs, and to perpetuating them among the Indian people of all ages. The College offers an academic program that enables students to earn credits in college courses designed to transfer to other institutions of post-secondary and higher education. The College serves the constituency of the reservation populations by maintaining an occupational training program based on the needs of the people living on and near the reservation and on potential employment opportunities available in the region. The College serves the people by initiating and supporting community activities and organizations based on the needs and wishes of community members.

#### **Lame Deer Public Schools**

#### **District Office**

PO Box 96

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6305

## **High School**

PO Box 96

Lame Deer, MT 59043

Phone: (406) 477-6305 ext. 1247

# **Junior High School**

PO Box 96

Lame Deer, MT 59043

Phone: (406)477-6305 ext. 1207

# **Elementary School**

PO Box 96

Lame Deer, MT 59043

Phone: (406) 477-6305 ext. 1111

#### **Special Education Program**

PO Box 96

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6379

Hours: Monday – Thursday, 2pm – 4pm

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Lame Deer Public Schools is home of the Morning Stars. The schools serve students in Kindergarten to 12th grade.

## **Literacy Volunteer of America, Rosebud County**

PO Box 391

Forsyth, MT 59327 Phone: (406) 346-2076

Email: liberacyrosebud@rangeweb.net

Literacy Volunteer of America, Rosebud County, is a nonprofit affiliate of Literacy Volunteers of America. They provide trained tutors and/or group classes to out-of-school adults ages 16 and older who would like to improve their reading, English, and math skills, obtain their GED, learn English, or gain their US citizenship. The program is student-centered, free and confidential. They also provide weekly learning opportunities to inmates at the Rosebud County Jail.

#### **Little Big Horn College**

8645 South Weaver Drive Crow Agency, MT 59022 Phone: (406) 638-3100 Fax: (406) 638-3169

Website: www.lbhc.edu

Little Big Horn College is the Crow higher education and cultural center that grants Associate of Arts and Associate of Science degrees and certificates in the areas that reflect the developing economic opportunities and social needs of the Crow Indian Reservation and surrounding communities. They offer instruction by traditional and distance learning methods.

## **Miles Community College**

2715 Dickenson Street Miles City, MT 59301 Phone 1: (406) 874-6100

Phone 2: (800) 541-9281 (Toll Free)

Fax: (406) 874-6282

Website: www.milescc.edu

The mission of Miles Community College is to promote student success and lifelong learning through accessible, quality programs and community partnerships. Degrees offered include Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, Associate of Science in Nursing, Associate of Applied Science, and Certificates. Programs include Agriculture/Agribusiness, Allied Health, Automotive Technology, Biofuels and Energy, Building Technology, Business, Education, Equine Studies, Heavy Equipment Operations, Information Technology, and Pre-Engineering.



#### **Montana Education Talent Search**

PO Box 307

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8607

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

Talent Search provides pre-college advisors to youth living in Crow Agency, Lame Deer, Salish Kootenai, Browning, and Great Falls. Advisors assist youth with scholarship and college applications. Eligible youth are low income or first generation college applicants.

#### **Montana GEAR UP**

PO Box 203201 Helena, MT 59620

Phone: (406) 444-0598 (Eastern Schools)
Website: <a href="https://www.gearup.mus.edu/aboutGU.htm">www.gearup.mus.edu/aboutGU.htm</a>

Montana GEAR UP (Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs) is a seven-year federal grant awarded in September of 2011 to the Office of the Commissioner of Higher Education for the State of Montana. This federal initiative encourages and supports students to set high academic expectations, stay in school, study hard and take appropriate courses to prepare them for college-level studies.

# **Montana State University - Billings**

1500 University Drive Billings, MT 59101

Admissions Phone 1: (406) 657-2158

Phone 2: (800) 565-MSUB (Toll Free) Email: <u>admissions@msubillings.edu</u> Website: www.msubillings.edu

Montana State University Billings is a state university, with a main campus located in downtown Billings, Montana. They offer training for Associate's Bachelor's and Master's degrees and certificates with over 160 degrees to choose from. There are five colleges – arts and sciences, business, allied health professions, education, and technology.

# <u> Montana State University – Bozeman</u>

201 Strand Union Building Bozeman, MT 59717

Admissions

Phone 1: (406) 994-2452

Phone 2: (888) MSU-CATS (Toll Free) Email: admissions@montana.edu

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#### Website: www.montana.edu

Montana State University is a public university, the state's land-grant university, and the primary campus in the Montana State University system. They offer bachelor's degrees in 51 fields, master's degrees in 41 fields, and doctoral degrees in 18 fields. There are nine colleges – agriculture, arts and architecture, business, nursing, education, health and human development, engineering, letters and sciences, university college, and graduate studies.

#### Gallatin College

PO Box 170515 Bozeman, MT 59717 Phone: (406) 994-5536 Fax: (406) 994-5577

Email: gallatincollege@montana.edu

Website: www.montana.edu/gallatin college/

MSU also houses the Gallatin College, which is a two-year college for degree-seeking students. Gallatin College offers three Associate of Applied Sciences degrees, one Certificate of Applied Science, and a Developmental Education Program. They also offer a Dual Enrollment program for local high school students.

#### **Montana State University - Northern**

PO Box 7751 Havre, MT 59501 **Admissions** 

Phone 1: (406) 265-3704

Phone 2: (800) 662-6131 ext. 3704 (Toll Free)

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

Email: <u>admissions@msun.edu</u>
Website: <u>www.msun.edu/future</u>

Montana State University Northern is north central Montana's comprehensive university offering programs and services at the associate, baccalaureate, and the master's levels. Degree programs range from teacher education to engineering technology, emphasizing both technology and liberal arts education. Programs are in the disciplines of business, nursing, engineering and mechanical technology, teacher education, natural sciences, and humanities. As a public university applied research and service functions are aligned with many of the university's disciplines and respond directly to the region's economic and societal needs.



## **College of Technology**

2100 16th Avenue South Great Falls, Mt 59405

Phone 1: (406) 771-4300 (Switchboard)

Phone 2: (800) 446-2698 (Toll Free)

Fax 1: (406) 771-4317 (Main Office) Fax 2: (406) 771-4329 (Student Central

Fax 2: (406) 771-5117 (Student Accounts)

Montana State University College of Technology offers a variety of programs including Associate of Applied Science, Associate of Science, Associate of arts, and certificate programs. Distance Learning is also available.

## **Northern Cheyenne Nation Head Start Program**

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6620

Hours 1: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm (Central Office)

Hours 2: Monday – Friday, 8am – 4pm (Centers)

The Head Start Program provides services to preschool children from low-income families. They offer a comprehensive program that addresses education, health, parent involvement and social services.

## **Higher Education Scholarship Program**

# **Education Department**

PO Box 307

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6602

The Higher Education Scholarship Program provides scholarship grants to enrolled Northern Cheyenne Tribal members. To be eligible for a scholarship, a student must be a high school graduate or have obtained their GED. The scholarship is maintained by submitting a plan of study, attending all classes, and keeping a 2.0 GPA.

## **Tribal School Administration**

PO Box 150

Busby, MT 59016

Phone: (406) 592-3646 Fax: (406) 592-3645

The Northern Cheyenne Tribal School serves students in Kindergarten to 12th grade.

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## **Rocky Mountain College**

1511 Poly Drive Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 657-1000

Phone 2: (800) 877-6259 (Toll Free)

Website: www.rocky.edu

The mission of Rocky Mountain College is to educate future leaders through liberal arts and professional programs that cultivate critical thinking, creative expression, ethical decision making, informed citizenship and professional excellence. The college offers the following degree programs: undergraduate degrees in a variety of majors; pre-professional degrees in Medical, Law, Dentistry, Optometry, Pharmacy, and Veterinary Medicine; and graduate degrees in Physician Assistant, Accountancy, and Educational Leadership.

## Salish Kootenai College

58138 US Hwy 93

PO Box 70

Pablo, MT 59855

Phone 1: (406) 275-4800

Phone 2: (406) 275-4866 (Admissions)

Fax: (406) 275-4801 Website: <u>www.skc.edu</u>

The mission of Salish Kootenai College is to provide quality postsecondary educational opportunities for Native Americans locally, and throughout the United States. SKC seeks to promote community and individual development and perpetuate the cultures of the Confederated Tribes of the Flathead Nation.

#### St. Labre Indian Catholic Schools

Director's Office

1000 Tongue River Road

Ashland, MT 59003

Phone 1: (406) 784-4560 (Director of Schools) Phone 2: (406) 784-4594 (Administrative Assistant)

#### **St. Charles Mission School**

PO Box 29

Pryor, MT 59066

Phone 1: (406) 259-9976 Phone 2: (406) 784-4594 Email: StCharles@stlabre.org

Website: www.stlabre.org/SchoolSTC/

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## **Pretty Eagle Catholic Academy**

PO Box 310

St. Xavier, MT 59075 Phone: (406) 666-2215

Website: www.stlabre.org/SchoolPE/index.asp

#### St. Labre Indian School

1000 Tongue River Road Ashland, MT 59003

Phone 1: (406) 784-4580 (Elementary School

Email 1: Elementary@stlabre.org

Phone 2: (406) 784-4567 (Middle School)

Email 2: MSAcademy@stlabre.org Phone 3: (406) 784-4565 (High School) Email 3: HighSchool@stlabre.org

The St. Labre Indian Catholic Schools include the St. Charles Mission School in Pryor, the Pretty Eagle Catholic Academy in St. Xavier, and the St. Labre Indian School in Ashland. St. Charles Mission School and Pretty Eagle Catholic Academy serve students in kindergarten to 8th grade. St. Labre Indian School serves students in kindergarten to 12th grade. The vision of the St. Labre Indian Catholic Schools is "Education for Life." The mission of the schools is to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ according to the Catholic Tradition by providing quality education which celebrates the Catholic faith and embraces Native American cultures, primarily the Northern Cheyenne and Crow Tribes, so that Native American individuals and communities of Southeastern Montana are empowered to attain self-sufficiency.

## **Stone Child College**

8294 Upper Box Elder Road Box Elder, MT 59521

Phone: (406) 395-4875 Fax: (406) 395-4836

Website: www.stonechild.edu

The mission of Stone Child College (SCC) is to deliver post-secondary education al opportunities through degrees, certificates and continuing education. SCC stresses the importance of preserving the Chippewa Cree language, culture and history. Degrees offered include the following: Associate of Arts in the areas of General Studies and Human Services; Associate of Science in the areas of Applied Science, Business, and Computer Science; and Certificate programs in Accounting, Construction Technology, Customer Relations, Physical Fitness, Pre-Engineering, and Pre-Nursing.



#### **University of Great Falls**

1301 20th Street South Great Falls, MT 59405

Phone: (800) 856-9544 (Toll Free)

Website: www.ugf.edu

As an expression of the teaching mission of Jesus Christ, the mission of the University of Great Falls is to provide students with the opportunity to obtain a liberal education for living and for making a living. The University offers students a foundation for actively implementing Gospel values and the teaching of Jesus within the Catholic tradition; it serves students of all beliefs who wish to take advantage of its programs. The university offers undergraduate degrees in a variety of majors as well as associates degrees in Addictions Counseling, Criminal Justice, and Paralegal Studies. The University also offers pre-professional programs in Law, Medical, Dental, Veterinary, Nursing, Pharmacy, and Physical Therapy as well as graduate programs in Secondary Teaching, Counseling, and Organization Management.

#### **University of Montana**

#### Missoula

Admissions
32 Campus Drive

Missoula, Montana 59812

Phone 1: (406) 243-0211 (Switchboard) Phone 2: (406) 243-6266 (Admissions)

Phone 3: (800) 462-8636 (Toll Free Admissions)

The University of Montana in Missoula is a public, co-educational, residential university. Degrees offered include associate's, bachelor's, master's, first-professional, doctoral degrees, and technical certificates.

#### Montana Tech

Enrollment Services 1300 West Park Street Butte, MT 59701

Phone: 1 (800) 445-TECH

Website: <u>www.mtech.edu/onestop</u> Email: enrollment@mtech.edu

The mission of Montana Tech of the University of Montana is to meet the challenging needs of society by supplying knowledge and education through a strong undergraduate curriculum augmented by research, graduate education, and service. The vision of Montana Tech is to be a leader for undergraduate and graduate education and research in the Pacific Northwest in engineering, science, energy, health, information sciences, and technology. There are four

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schools and colleges: School of Mines and Engineering; College of Letters, Sciences, and Professional Studies; College of Technology; and Graduate School. The institution offers degree programs at the masters, bachelor, associate, and certificate levels. The Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology (MBMG), the geologic and hydro-geologic research arm of the State of Montana, is a department of the institution. The MBMG provides service to the public and a variety of constituents within the private sector and federal, state, and local governments. The MBMG develops gathers, analyzes, catalogs, and disseminates information concerning the location and development of the mineral, energy, and water resources of Montana.

## **Helena College University of Montana**

1115 North Roberts Street Helena, MT 59601 Phone: (406) 444-6800

The Helena College University of Montana, a comprehensive two-year college, provides access to and support of lifelong educational opportunities. Academic programs are in the following areas: accounting and business technology; automotive technology, aviation maintenance technology, computer aided manufacturing; computer technology; construction technology; diesel technology; fire and rescue; general/transfer degrees; geosciences technology; metals technology; nursing programs; office technology; water resources; and welding technology. Additional academic opportunities include a Bachelor of Applied Science-Business, a Bachelor of Science in Business and Information Technology, an Associate of Applied Science in Early Childhood Education, and a Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education-Industrial Technology.

# University of Montana – Western

710 South Atlantic Street Dillon, Montana 59725

Phone 1: (406) 683-7331 (Switchboard) Phone 2: (877) 683-7331 (Toll Free)

University of Montana Western is a public college. Students at Western take one class at a time. Programs are offered in the following areas: biology; business and technology; education; English; environmental science; equine studies; fine arts; history, philosophy, and social science; honors; and mathematics.



#### **ELDERLY SUPPORT**

## **Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services**

Senior and Long-Term Care Division Big Horn County

2121 Rosebud Drive Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 655-7644 Phone 2: (406) 655-7635 Fax: (406) 655-7646

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc

## Senior and Long-Term Care Division Rosebud County

218 West Bell Suite 205

Glendive, MT 59330 Phone: (406) 377-6252 Fax: (406) 377-1240

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc

The mission of the **Senior & Long-Term Care Division** is to advocate and promote dignity and independence for older Montanans and Montanans with disabilities by: providing information, education and assistance; planning, developing and providing for quality long-term care services; and operating within a cost-effective service delivery system. Division programs include the Medicaid Community Services Program, the Home and Community Based Services Program, the Medicaid Nursing Facility Services Program, the State Supplemental Payments Program, Ombudsman services, Adult Protective Services, Area II Agency on Aging, and Montana Legal Services Developer.

The **Medicaid Community Services Program** pays for personal care, skilled nursing care, home health aides, home dialysis attendants, and hospice care for elderly and disabled people eligible for Medicaid.

The **Home and Community Based Services Program** contracts with case managers in local communities to arrange for an array of in-home services to enable people in need of care to avoid a stay in a hospital or long-term care facility.

The **Medicaid Nursing Facility Services Program** pays for short-term and long-term nursing care for individuals eligible for Medicaid.

The **State Supplemental Payments Program** supplements the Social Security Supplemental Security Income (SSI) of eligible individuals who live in designed residential care facilities. These facilities include community homes for individu-

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als with developmental or mental disabilities, group homes for individuals with severe disabilities, personal care homes, licensed foster homes, and transitional living homes.

## **Senior and Long-Term Care Division**

PO Box 4210

Helena, MT 59604

Long-Term Care Ombudsman

Area I Agency on Aging (Rosebud County)

Phone 1: (406) 444-7785

Phone 2: (800) 332-2272 (Toll Free)

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/services/aging/ltcombudsman.shtml

#### Senior and Long-Term Care Division

6714 Neibauer Road Billings, MT 59106 Long-Term Care Ombudsman

#### Area II Agency on Aging (Big Horn County)

Phone: (406) 256-6568

Email: iaoaging@usadig.com

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/services/aging/ltcombudsman.shtml

The Long-Term Care Ombudsman is an advocate for all residents of long-term care facilities, especially nursing homes and personal care homes. The ombudsman can provide information or direct assistance related to the health, safety, and rights of residents.

## Senior and Long-Term Care Division Adult Protective Services Eastern Region #1 (Rosebud County)

2200 Box Elder

Suite 135

Miles City, MT 59301 Phone: (406) 234-0225

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/services/APS

## Senior and Long-Term Care Division Adult Protective Services South Central Region #3 (Big Horn County)

809 North Custer Hardin, MT 59034 Phone: (406) 665-8735

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/services/APS

The Adult Protective Services Program provides social workers

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who investigate allegations of abuse, neglect, and exploitation for the elderly and people with disabilities. The social workers also arrange for and coordinate a variety of support services aimed at protecting vulnerable people from abuse and neglect.

## Senior and Long-Term Care Division Area I Agency on Aging (Rosebud County) Action for Eastern Montana

PO Box 1309

Glendive, MT 59330 Phone: (406) 377-3564 Fax: (406) 377-3570

# Senior and Long-Term Care Division Area II Agency on Aging (Big Horn County)

PO Box 127

Roundup, MT 59072 Phone 1: (406) 323-1320

Phone 2: 1 (800) 551-3191 (Toll Free)

Fax: (406) 323-3859

Email: <u>areatwo@midrivers.com</u>

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/services/aging /areaagenciesonaging

Montana's Area Agencies on Aging address the needs and concerns of older Montanans at the local level. Programs include the **State Health and Insurance Program** and the **Information**, **Assistance and Referral Program**.

The **State Health and Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP)** provides Medicare and related health insurance information, counseling, assistance and advocacy to Montana Medicare beneficiaries, their family members, caregivers, and local professionals.

The **Information, Assistance and Referral Program** links Montana seniors, their family members, and caregivers with needed services such as social and health services, crisis and/or emergency intervention, insurance counseling and assistance, legal services development and referral, utilities assistance, meal services, adult protective services, grief and loss issues, mental health counseling, assistance with food/clothing/household needs, and education and recreational opportunities. Program technicians provide information about services, make proper referrals, and do public education and outreach within Area II communities.



# Senior and Long-Term Care Division **Montana Legal Services Developer**

PO Box 4210 Helena, MT 59604

Phone: 1 (800) 332-2272 Email: jmccrea@mt.gov

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/services/aging/legal

The Montana Legal Services Developer in the Office of Aging provides seniors, family members, and social outreach workers with training and resources in elderly law. The program provides pro bono and local legal services referrals, training materials, and telephone assistance to seniors.

#### **Northern Chevenne Nation**

#### **Elderly Program**

PO Box 401

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8707

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 2pm

The Elderly Program provides services such as information, referral letter writing, translation, transportation, and a daily meal for people 60 years and older.

#### **Home Care Services**

PO Box 1170

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8555

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

Home Care Services provides personal care and meal preparation for the elderly, disabled, and Medicaid recipients.

#### **Prevention of Elder Abuse**

PO Box 124

Billings, MT 59103 Phone: (406) 896-9606

Website 1: www.bigskyseniorservices.org Website 2: www.mtelderabuseprevention.org Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm

Prevention of Elder Abuse investigates elder abuse, neglect and financial exploitation. They provide case management and financial payee services for elders and disabled adults who have been or are at risk of abuse. They sponsor free in-service training for home health aides and presentations on abuse and financial exploitation for community groups. They train Gatekeepers, who are community volunteers who watch for and report possible elder abuse.

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# EMPLOYMENT TRAINING AND PLACEMENT

## Big Horn County Extension Office

Courthouse PO Box H

Hardin, MT 59034 Phone: (406) 665-1405

Website: www.bighorn.mt.gov/extension

4-H is part of the nation-wide Extension network that links research-based knowledge and technology to people where they live and work. In Montana, Extension faculty members work directly with adult and teen volunteer leaders, local advisory groups and others.

#### **Department of Labor**

## **Summer Youth Supplement Program**

PO Box 368 201 East Boundary Lame Deer, MT

Phone: (406) 477-6221

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The Youth Supplement Program offers employment opportunity year-round for eligible youth on the Northern Cheyenne reservation. They serve youth ages 14-21.

#### **Montana Department of Public Health & Human Services**

Vocational Rehabilitation Programs Region IV (Billings Office)

2121 Rosebud Drive

Suite C

Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 248-4801

Phone 2: 1 (888) 279-7532 (Toll Free)

Phone 3: (406) 652-6046 (TTY)

Fax: (406) 652-1781

Email: <a href="mailto:hhsvrbillings@mt.gov">hhsvrbillings@mt.gov</a>

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/vocrehab/vrs



# Vocational Rehabilitation Programs Region IV (Miles City Office)

114 North 7th Street Miles City, MT 59301

Phone 1: (406) 232-0583 (Voice/TTY) Phone 2: (877) 296-1198 (Toll Free)

Fax: (406) 232-0885

Email: hhsvrmilescity@mt.gov

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/vocrehab/vrs

The Vocational Rehabilitation Program helps people with disabilities find or maintain employment. The program offers services that include evaluation, career counseling and guidance, medical and psychological, training, job development and placement, rehabilitation technology, post-employment, referrals, instruction, mobility training, and low vision.

## **Montana State University**

**Extension Office** 

Phone: (406) 477-6498

The Montana State University Extension Office works with students to develop America's future generation of scientists and engineers. Youth are provided with hands-on, real world experiences delivered in both formal and informal settings, emphasizing Science, Engineering, Technology, Veterinary Science and Wind Energy. 4-H is committed to the physical, mental, and emotional health of the nation's youth that they may lead healthy lives from childhood to adulthood.

# Job Corps

#### Anaconda

1407 Foster Creek Road Phone: (406) 563-8700 Fax: (406) 563-8243

Website: anaconda.jobcorps.gov

# **Kicking Horse**

33091 Mollman Pass Trail

Ronan, MT 59864 Phone: (406) 644-2217 Fax: (406) 644-2343

Website: KickingHorse.jobcorps.gov

# **Trapper Creek**

5139 West Fork Road Darby, MT 59829 Phone: (406) 821-3286

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Fax: (406) 821-3290

Website: <u>trappercreek.jobcorps.gov</u>

Job Corps offers career technical training and education for young people at no cost to them or their families. Eligible young people are 16-24 years old and qualify as low-income.

# **Native Employment Works Program**

PO Box 368

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6765 Fax: (406) 477-6238

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The NEW Program assists TANF workers by providing clothing, tools, GED training, transportation, and other support.

#### **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

Education Department

Job Training and Placement Program

PO Box 307

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6602

The Job Training and Placement Program offers preparation for employment. Applicants must declare intent to accept full time employment as soon as possible after completion of their training. The applicant must select a vocation or trade that can be completed within 3-24 months. Nursing students can be funded for a 36 month period. Applicants must be enrolled and accepted in an approved vocational training institution or other regionally accredited institution that provides vocational training.

# **Summer Youth Supplement Program**

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6659

The Summer Youth Supplement Program provides youth employment to enrolled and non-enrolled members of the Northern Cheyenne Tribe. To be eligible youth must be age 14-21 and meet the income criteria. Male youth 18-21 years of age must also submit a selective service card. Services are available on an ongoing basis depending on funding.



# **Tribal Housing Authority**

PO Box 327

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6419

Website: <u>www.nctribalhousing.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Northern Cheyenne Tribal Housing Authority hires 15-25 employees every summer to help with office or maintenance work.

## **Red Feather Development Group**

PO Box 907

Bozeman, MT 59771 Phone: (406) 585-7188 Email: bed@redfeather.org

Red Feather provides work training and education in straw bale home construction and renovations.

## **Rural Area Opportunities, Inc.**

1739 Grand Avenue Suite A Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 256-1140

Phone 2: (800) 823-5566 (Toll Free)

Rural Area Opportunities, Inc. provides assistance to season workers in seeking permanent fulltime employment, classroom training, etc. They also provide assistance to season migrant workers and offer emergency food and gas vouchers. Other supportive services are available to qualified applicants.

# **Tribal Employment Rights Office**

PO Box 308

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone 1: (406) 477-6287 Phone 2: (406) 477-6714

TERO assists with resumes, maintaining job postings, and Indian Preference enforcement. They also handle EOC complaints, provide referral services for businesses, and assist contractors with recruitment and placement.



# **Workforce Investment Act Program**

PO Box 368

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6221 Fax: (406) 477-6238

Email: ncwia@rangeweb.net

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The WIA offers education and work training and support services such as clothing, tools, and gas.

### **FAITH-BASED**

#### Blessed Sacrament Church

PO Box 100

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6384

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 3:30pm (Office)

Wednesday and Thursday, 8pm (12 Step Program)

Sunday, 11am (Religious Education)

The Blessed Sacrament Church offers spirituality counseling, a 12-Step Program, and religious education for preschool to 6th grade students.

# **Assembly of God**

Busby, MT

Phone: (406) 592-3592

# **Christ the King Catholic Church**

Busby, MT

Phone: (406) 592-3568

# **Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**

Lame Deer, MT

Phone: (406) 477-8989

# <u>Prayer Lodge</u>

HC 42, PO Box 515 Busby, MT 59016 Phone: (406) 592-3729

Hours: Sunday - Saturday, 9am - Flexible

The Prayer Lodge offers a place for prayer, quiet time and reflection for women.

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They provide healthy meals that are mostly organic. They offer teachings of Earth Literacy and Environmental Peace and Justice.

#### St. Labre Mission

1000 Tongue River Road

PO Box 216

Ashland, MT 59003

Phone 1: (406) 784-4500 Phone 2: (406) 784-4511 Website: <u>www.stlabre.org</u>

## **FAMILY SUPPORT**

#### **CARANET of Billings**

2321 Broadwater Avenue Billings, MT 59102

Phone: (406) 652-4868

Phone 2: (800) 395-HELP (Toll Free)

The CARENET of Billings provides confidential pregnancy tests, counseling and information, post- abortion counseling, adoption information, referrals, and other services. They also provide referrals and help with housing, furniture and baby clothes, newborn to 1 year of age.

#### **Child Find**

737 South Billings Boulevard #0

Billings, MT 59101

Phone: (406) 259-6999 (24-Hour)

Child Find is a referral office to help locate missing children and educate children on what to do if approached by a stranger.

# **Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Montana**

1620 Alderson Avenue

Suite 27

Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 656-4370 Phone 2: (406) 252-1020

The Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Montana provides the following services: debt counseling and guidance; debt management planning; credit reports; employee assistance programs; and education for individuals and businesses.

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## **Dress for Success**

304 North 29th Street Billings, MT 59101

Phone: (406) 256-7304

Website: www.dressforsuccess.org Hours: Monday – Thursday, 9am – 5pm

The mission of dress for Success is to promote the economic independence of disadvantaged women by providing professional attire, a network of support and the career development tools to help women thrive in work and in life. Dress for Success is a not-for-profit organization offering services designed to help clients find jobs and remain employed. Women have an opportunity to work with a professional consultant to receive appropriate clothing for a job interview. Women also receive a second selection of clothes when a job has been obtained and a third selection after being employed for 30 days. Shoes and accessories are also provided, along with professional hair and cosmetic assistance.

#### **Family Tree Center**

2520 5th Avenue South Billings, MT 59101

Phone: (406) 252-9799

Hours: Monday – Thursday, 8:30am – 4:30pm

Family Tree Center provides their services through Parents Sharing, Community Caring, Prevention Education, parenting classes, and respite childcare. Parents Sharing offers self-help programming with parenting skills and positive discipline. Community Caring offers support, friendship and parenting tips to new parents. Prevention Education is available for children and adults using visual resources. Parenting classes are for those with newborns, toddlers, or grade school children.

# **Friendship House**

3123 8th Avenue South Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 259-5569

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 5pm

Friendship House provides clothing, resources, referrals, recreational and support services to youth and adults.

# **Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services**

**Child Support Enforcement Division** Region III (Big Horn and Rosebud Counties) 1500 Poly Drive Suite 200

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Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 655-5500

Phone 2: (406) 477-6251 (Lame Deer)

Fax: (406) 655-5545

Website: <u>www.dphhs.mt.gov/csed</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Child Support Enforcement program provides services that include locating absent parents, establishing paternity, establishing financial and medical support orders, enforcing current and past-due child support, offering medical and spousal support, and modifying child support orders. The regional office is located in Billings. The Liaison provides services out of the regional office to Lame Deer residents and is in the community of Lame Deer once a month.

## **Healthy Montana Kids**

PO Box 202951

Phone 1: (406) 444-6971 Phone 2: 1 (877) 543-7669 Fax 1: (406) 444-4533 Fax 2: 1 (877) 418-4533

Email: hmk@mt.gov

Healthy Montana Kids (HMK) is a free or low-cost health coverage plan for eligible Montana children and teenagers up to 19 years of age. A child can qualify for HMK based on family size and income. There are no pre-existing condition limitations.

# **Healthy Montana Kids Plus**

PO Box 202951 Helena, MT 59620

Phone 1: (406) 444-6971 Phone 2: 1 (877) 543-7669

Fax 1: (406) 444-4533 Fax 2: 1 (877) 418-4533 Email: <u>hmk@mt.gov</u>

Healthy Montana Kids Plus is health coverage for children from low-income families. In addition to meeting income and resource limits, a child is only eligible if any of his or her family members fits into one of these groups: families with dependent children; pregnant women; women with breast or cervical cancer or pre-cancer; people 65 and over; and people who are disabled.



#### Office of Public Assistance

**Big Horn County** 

23 West Eighth PO Box 426

Hardin, MT 59034

Phone: (406) 665-8700 Fax: (406) 665-8752

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/programsservices/ pubilcassistanceprograms

## Office of Public Assistance

# **Rosebud County**

PO Box 276

Lame Deer Office

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6251

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

## **Office of Public Assistance**

## **Rosebud County**

Forsyth Office 121 North 11th Avenue PO Box 5016

Forsyth, MT 59327 Phone: (406) 346-2563 Fax: (406) 346-7166

The County Office of Public assistance administers Montana Medicaid, the Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC), and other programs for income-eligible children and families.

**Montana Medicaid** pays for a broad range of medically necessary health care and long-term care.

The **Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP)** provides supplemental food assistance.

**Temporary Assistance for Needy Families** (TANF) provides temporary financial assistance to families who have minor children, certain relatives with whom minor children are living, including siblings, women in their last trimester of pregnancy who have no other eligible children, and/or refugees with minor dependent children.

The Special Supplemental Nutritional Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) provides nutritious foods such as iron-fortified

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cereal, milk, eggs, peanut butter, dried beans, and formula as well as nutrition education.

#### **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

# **Commodity Program**

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8278

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The Commodity Program distributes food items and provides nutrition education.

## **Low-Income Program**

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8459

Hours; Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Low-Income Program offers eligible households home energy assistance and other assistance such as food vouchers and transportation. Eligible households include those who meet the 150% poverty guidelines or who have no income.

#### **Indian Health Services**

#### Nutrition

PO Box 70

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4527

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 4:30pm

The Nutrition Program offers individualized diet instruction, weight loss counseling, menu education for food service programs, and nutrition presentations for WIC clients.

#### **Parent Connection**

415 North 30th Street Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 247-3727

Hours: Monday - Friday, 7am - 4pm

Parent Connection provides active parenting programs. They offer educational workshops to assist parents in being better parents. They also have a resource center with books and videos on parenting.



#### **Vet Center**

1234 Avenue C Billings, MT 59102 Phone: (406) 657-6071

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 4:30pm

The Vet Center provides counseling and referrals for veterans and families in making post-military adjustments to civilian life. Must be Vietnam Era Veteran on active duty between August 5, 1964 and May 7, 1975, or participated in the following areas of armed hostilities: Lebanon, Grenada, Panama, Persian Gulf, and Somalia. Eligibility has also been extended to include WWII and Korean War veterans. Counseling is also provided for men and women who were victims of sexual trauma or harassment while in the military.

## **GENERAL SERVICES**

## **Big Horn County**

Clerk and Recorder Room 203, Second Floor

## Courthouse

121 West 3rd PO Box 908 Hardin, MT 59034 Phone: (406) 665-9730

Fax: (406) 665-9738

Website: <a href="www.bighorn.mt.gov/clerk\_recorder">www.bighorn.mt.gov/clerk\_recorder</a>

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

Services by the Clerk and Recorder Office include processing applications for birth certificates, death certificates, military discharge, and reality transfer certificate.

### **Board of Commissioners**

Room 302, Third Floor Big Horn County Courthouse 121 West 3rd PO Box 903 Hardin, MT 59034

Phone: (406) 665-9700 Fax: (406) 665-9706

Website: www.bighorn.mt.gov/commissioners

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 4pm

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The Board of Commissioners Office is responsible for approving the use of the Big Horn County Community Hall, Courthouse Meeting Rooms, and stand-by ambulance service for an event.

## **Elections Administrator**

Room 203, Second Floor Big Horn County Courthouse 121 West 3rd PO box 908 Hardin, MT 59034

Phone: (406) 665-9730 Fax: (406) 665-9738

Website: <u>www.bighorn.mt.gov/elections</u> Hours: 8am – 5pm, Monday – Friday

The Elections Administrator Office assists with voter registration, absentee voting, and location of polling places.

#### **Extension**

Room 101, First Floor Big Horn County Courthouse 121 West 3rd PO Box 908 Hardin, MT 59034

Phone: (406) 665-9771 Fax: (406) 665-9776

Website: <u>www.bighorn.mt.gov/extension</u>

The Extension Office assists with 4H Animal Record, 4H Enrollment, 4H Indoor Project Record, the Indoor Animal Project, the Outdoor Animal Project, the Heywood Sheep Award, and use of the Big Horn County Fair Grounds.

# **Roads Department**

803 North Center Avenue PO Box 334

Hardin, MT 59034 Phone: (406) 665-9860

Phone: (406) 665-9860 Fax: (406) 665-3465

Website: www.bighorn.mt.gov/roads

The Roads Department assists with removing junk vehicles.



#### **Rural Fire**

Room 303, Third Floor Big Horn County Courthouse 121 West 3rd PO Box 908 Hardin, MT 59034

Phone: (406) 665-9736 Fax: (406) 665-9706

Website: <a href="https://www.bighorn.mt.gov/rural-fire">www.bighorn.mt.gov/rural-fire</a> Hours: 8am – 5pm, Monday – Friday

Rural Fire assists with obtaining burn permits.

## **Rosebud County**

Appraiser/Assessor Rosebud County Courthouse

1200 Main Street, 2nd Floor

PO Box 66

Forsyth, MT 59327 Phone 1: (406) 346-7477

Phone 2: (406) 346-2516

Fax: (406) 346-7551

The County Appraiser/Assessor Office assists with property tax, surface ownership questions, Montana cadastral mapping, elderly homeowner credit, disabled American Veterans exemption, declaration of homestead forms and information, reality transfer certificate forms and information, state of for hail insurance coverage, and state fee for per capita livestock.

#### Clerk and Recorder

1200 Main Street PO Box 47 Forsyth, MT 59327

Phone: 406-346-7318 Fax: 406-346-7551

The County Clerk and Recorder Office assist with recording information, elections, birth and death certificates, DD-214 military discharge, and water rights.

## **Driver's Examiner**

Forsyth Office 1200 Main Street PO Box 47 Forsyth, MT 59327



Phone: (406) 232-2821

Hours: First and Third Wednesday of each month, 9:30am – 12pm, 1pm – 3:30pm

## **Driver's Examiner**

# **Colstrip Office**

415 Willow Street

Colstrip, MT

Phone: (406)232-2821

Hours: Every Thursday, 10am - 2pm

The Driver's Examiner assists with driver's licenses. To take the driver's exam, applicants must have a printed receipt from the Treasurer's Office, a certified copy of Birth Certificate or Passport, a document that shows proof of physical address, and a current driver's license or social security card.

#### **Elections Administrator**

1200 Main Street

PO Box 47

Forsyth, MT 59327 Phone: (406) 346-7318

Fax: (406) 346-7551

The County Elections Administrator assists with voter registration cards, absentee ballot requests, and locating polling places.

#### **United States Post Office**

1st Street and Lame Deer Avenue Lame Deer, MT 59043

Phone: (406) 477-6707

The United States Post Office provides with mail and shipping services.

#### **HEALTH AND DENTAL**

# **Big Horn County**

**Public Health Department** 

809 North Custer Hardin, MT 59304 Phone: (406) 655-8720

Website: <u>www.bighorncountypublichealth.come</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 9am – 12pm, 1pm – 5pm

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The Big Horn County Public Health Department provides services in the following areas: pregnancy and childbirth, WIC, children's immunizations, child safety programs, children's health insurance, teen health programs, nutrition, tobacco cessation, tuberculosis tests, dog-bites, disease reporting, adult immunizations, environmental health, food safety, licensed established program, flood plain regulations, subdivision regulations, West Nile Virus Task Force, and international travel precautions.

# **Big Horn Hospital Association**

17 North Miles Hardin, MT 59034 Phone: (406) 665-2310

The Big Horn Hospital Association includes the Big Horn County Memorial Hospital, a clinic, and the Heritage Acres Nursing Home. Services include emergency, geriatric care, assisted living, general surgery, orthopedic surgery, podiatry surgery, cataract surgery, diagnostic imaging, cardiac rehabilitation, physical therapy, nursery, laboratory, nutritional counseling, social services, and education and outreach.

# Billings Clinic Main Campus

801 North 29th Street Billings, MT 59107 Phone 1: (406) 238-2500 Phone 2: 1 (800) 332-7156

# **Billings Clinic Hospital**

2800 10th Avenue North PO Box 37000 Billings, MT 59107-7000 Phone 1: (406) 238-2500 Phone 2: 1 (800) 332-7156

# **Billings Clinic Heights**

760 Wicks Lane

Billings, MT 59105 Phone 1: (406) 238-2575 Phone 2: 1 (800) 332-7156

# **Billings Clinic West**

2675 Central Avenue Lamplighter Square Billings, MT 59102 Phone 1: (406) 238-2900 Phone 2: 1 (800) 332-7156

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The Billings Clinic offers 272 beds, 14-suite Family Birth Center with a level III Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, 15-bed Transitional Care Unit, level II Emergency and Trauma Center, Inpatient cancer care unit, surgery center, the region's largest multi-specialty group practice with 46 specialties, a research center which includes an analytical lab, research kitchen, and bone density machines.

## **CARANET of Billings**

2321 Broadwater Avenue Billings, MT 59102 Phone: (406) 652-4868

Phone 2: (800) 395-HELP (Toll Free)

The CARENET of Billings provides confidential pregnancy tests, counseling and information, post- abortion counseling, adoption information, referrals, and other services. They also provide referrals and help with housing, furniture and baby clothes, newborn to 1 year of age.

## **Indian Health Board of Billings**

1127 Alderson Avenue

Suite #1

Billings, MT 59102 Phone: (406) 245-7318 Website: www.ihbbilings.us

The mission of the Indian Health Board of Billings is to improve, enhance and strengthen the overall health and wellness of Native American individuals and families residing in Yellowstone County (including the city of Billings, MT) through provision of comprehensive, low or no cost medical services; substance abuse counseling, referrals and treatment; health and disease prevention services; youth enhancement programs and community-based recreational and cultural programs.

#### **Indian Health Service**

# **Crow/Northern Cheyenne Hospital**

PO Box 9

Crow Agency, MT 59022 Phone: (406) 638-3500 Fax: (406) 638-3569

Website: www.ihs.gov/billings

The mission of the Crow/Northern Cheyenne Hospital is to work in partnership with the people they serve to elevate their physical, mental, social and spiritual health to the highest level. Services offered include the following: preventative health services (mental health, public health nursing, medical social services,

lameDeer, Montana public health nutrition, public health education, environmental health and engineering); substance abuse; family planning; environmental health; dialysis; pharmacy; laboratory; nursing home care; community health representative; dental; Women, Infants, and Children (WIC); surgery; communications disorders program; radiology; ENT/Audiology; and medical records.

# Follow Me/MIAMI Project

PO Box 237

Crow Agency, MT 59022 Phone: (406) 638-7283

Follow Me/MIAMI (Montana Initiative for the Abatement of Mortality Infants) Project provides follow-up services to high risk pregnant women and families with newborn children. The goal of the MIAMI project is to improve pregnancy outcomes in Big Horn County. The project provides education on healthy lifestyles during pregnancy, financial assistance to eligible women, assistance with obtaining prenatal and other appropriate community resources.

### **Northern Chevenne Service Unit**

#### Lame Deer Heath Center

PO Box 70

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4400 Fax: (406) 477-4427

Website: www.ihs.gov/billings

The mission of the Northern Cheyenne Service Unit, in partnership with the Northern Cheyenne community, is to raise their physical, mental, social and spiritual health to the highest level using the principles of "the patient comes first," with a focus on health care and health promotion, in a culturally sensitive manner while empowering the individual. Services include the following: outpatient ambulatory care, urgent care, optometry, dental, behavioral health, physical therapy, full service lab and radiology during clinic hours, special clinics (ENT, orthopedic, podiatry, oral dental surgeon, OB/GYN, general surgeon, and nephrology), community health nursing (immunizations, communicable disease prevention and education, wound care, pregnancy testing, counseling on birth control, pregnancy alternatives, home visits, pregnancy education and classes for breathing and relaxation), electronic health record, risk management, and contract health services (assists patients with setting up medical appointments with physicals and other hospitals).



## **Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services**

Vocational Rehabilitation Division Blind and Low Vision Services

2121 Rosebud Drive

Suite C

Billings, MT 59102

Phone 1: (406) 248-4301 Phone 2: (888) 279-7532

Fax: (406) 652-1781

## **Family and Community Health Bureau**

## **Montana WIC/Nutrition**

Cogswell Building C305

1400 Broadway

PO Box 202951

Helena, MT 59620

Phone 1: (406) 444-5533 (Central) Phone 2: (800) 433-4298 (Central)

Phone 3: (406) 638-4038 (Crow Reservation)

The WIC Program helps families with foods such as milk, cheese, eggs, juice, peanut butter, beans, cereal, whole grain items, fruits and vegetables, baby food, and infant formula. The program also provides other services free of charge to pregnant women, breastfeeding and post-partum women, infants and children up to 5 years of age. Eligible families are married or single and working or not working parents who meet the income limitations.

# **Health Resources Division**

Montana PharmAssist Program Montana-Pacific Quality Health

ATTN: Montana PharmAssist

3404 Cooney Drive Helena, MT 59602

Phone 1: (406) 444-0440 Phone 2: 1(866) 913 2323

The Montana PharmAssist Program is for all Montana citizens that will benefit from a no cost in-depth consultation with licensed and credentialed participating pharmacists. The program is open to all Montana citizens, regardless of age or income.

# Big Sky Rx Program

PO Box 202915 Helena, MT 59620



Phone 1: (406) 444-1233 Phone 2: 1 (866) 369-1233 Email: <u>Bigskyrx@mt.gov</u>

Website: www.bigskyrx.mt.gov

The Big Sky Rx Program helps Medicare clients pay for Medicare approved prescription drug insurance premiums. To be eligible you must be a resident of Montana, be a Medicare recipient, and meet income criteria.

## **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

# Tribal Health Department Ambulance Service

Po Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6722 Phone 2: (406) 477-6775

Phone 3: (406) 477-6774 (Hotline)

Hours: Open 24 Hours

The Ambulance Service provides seven day, 24 hour emergency medical service on the Northern Cheyenne Reservation consisting of dispatch and ambulance response crews to provide emergency medical care and transport on an asneeded basis to Lame Deer Emergency Room, Crow Agency Hospital, or other facilities as directed by IHS medical staff on call.

# Tribal Health Department Community Health Representative

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4434

Website: <u>www.nctribalhealth.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The CHR program assists residents of the Northern Cheyenne Reservation with achieving better health related to diabetes and other medical illnesses. They provide hearing screenings, education on health care, and clean up campaigns. They also schedule eye and dental exams and assist with obtaining glasses, dentures and hearing aids.

# Tribal Health Department Fitness Center

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8100

Website: www.nctribalhealth.org

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Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 7pm

The Fitness Program seeks to develop a healthy physical lifestyle for people on the Northern Cheyenne Reservation. Services include education and awareness, promotion of fitness, and disease prevention through fitness education and exercise. The Fitness Program also oversees the Fitness Center.

# Tribal Health Department Health Education

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone 1: (406) 477-4946 Phone 2: (406) 477-4955

Website: <u>www.nctribalhealth.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Health Education Program provides prevention education to schools, patients, and the general public about communicable and sexually transmitted diseases. They also provide information about tribal health programs and clinic services.

# Tribal Health Department Medical Resources

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone 1: (406) 477-4539 Phone 2: (406) 477-4466

Website: <u>www.nctribalhealth.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Contact Representative assists IHS patients in seeking alternative medical resources such as SSI, AFDC/Medicaid, and VA Nursing home placement in order to maximize health resources and benefits for patients/clients and the Indian Health Service (Contract Health Care).

# Tribal Health Department Oncology

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4949

Website: <u>www.nctribalhealth.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Oncology program promotes awareness and prevention of cancer through education and screening services, and assists patients and family members with coping skills to ensure the highest quality of life possible.

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## **Tribal Health Department**

#### **Public Health Nurse**

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4509

Website: <u>www.nctribalhealth.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Public Health Nurse provides individual and family health assessments, and planning and implementation of health prevention. Services include smoking ender classes, a diabetes exercise program, parenting classes, prepared child-birth classes, well child clinics, and prenatal and postpartum care.

# **Tribal Health Department**

#### **Veteran Affairs**

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59042 Phone: (406) 477-4548

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The purpose of Veteran Affairs is to provide effective outreach, peer assistance and up-to-date information on Veteran Affairs benefits and services for veterans. Veteran Affairs will work with all veterans who are seeking assistance with information on medical care, compensation, pensions, home loans, education benefits/loans, burial benefits, and other Veteran Affairs programs and services.

# Tribal Health Department

## Women, Infants, and Children

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59042 Phone 1: (406) 477-4526 Phone 2: (406) 477-4527

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

Special Supplemental Nutritional Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) provides nutritious foods such as iron-fortified cereal, milk, eggs, peanut butter, dried beans, and formula as well as nutrition education.

# **Tribal Health Department**

# **Wellness Center and Diabetes Program**

100 Eaglefeathers Drive PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4940

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Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The purpose of the Diabetes Program is to provide quality comprehensive education, case management, and treatment for patients at risk or with the disease of diabetes. Services include identifying individuals in pre-diabetes stage, glycemic control and micro-vascular risk reduction, cardiovascular disease risk reduction, education pertaining to lifestyle practices, and ancillary services.

#### **Planned Parenthood of Montana**

# **Billings Heights Clinic**

100 West Wicks Lane Billings, MT 59105 Phone: (406) 869-5040

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org/montana

## **Billings West Clinic**

1844 Broadwater Avenue

Suite 4

Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 869-5077

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org/montana

Planned Parenthood of Montana clinics offer the following services: female physical exams; male reproductive health exams; colposcopy, cryotherapy, and LEEP (testing and treatment for precancerous cervical conditions); transgender services; birth control information and supplies (pills, condoms, IUD's, Depo-Provera, diaphragm, vaginal ring, cervical cap and patch); emergency contraception (prevents pregnancy up to 120 hours after unprotected intercourse); pregnancy testing, options education, and information; abortion services; testing for treatment of sexually transmitted infections; HIV testing and referral; mid-life and menopausal care; and general family practice.

#### **Riverstone Health**

123 South 27th Street Billings, MT 59101

Phone 1: (406) 247-3200 Phone 2: (406) 247-3350

Website: www.riverstonehealth.org

The mission of Riverstone Health is to improve life, health and safety. They offer clinical services, home based care, education and research, and public health services.



## **St. Vincent Healthcare**

1233 North 30th Street Billings, Mt 59101 Phone: (406) 657-7000

Website: http://www.svh-mt.org/

St. Vincent Healthcare offers a full range of services including cardiology, neuroscience, orthopedic, surgery, and women's and children's services.

## **Sheridan Memorial Hospital**

1401 West 5th Street Sheridan, WY 82801

Phone: (307) 672-1000Website: http://www.sheridanhospital.org/

The Sheridan Memorial Hospital provides the following services: cardiac and pulmonary rehab, diabetes education, a dialysis center, an emergency and intensive care unit, health information and records, home care and hospice, a medical arts lab, a medical and transitional care unit, nutritional services, a pharmacy, radiology and medical imaging, surgery, wellness screenings, women's health and pediatrics, wound care, and rehabilitation.

# **HOUSING AND UTILITY**

# **Housing Authority of Billings**

2415 First Avenue North Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 245-6391

Fax: (406) 245-0387

The Housing Authority of Billings (HAB) is a public nonprofit organization dedicated to providing safe, decent and affordable housing to individuals and families in Billings, Montana, and within a 10-mile radius of Billings' city limits. Currently, HAB owns and/or manages over 400 housing units and administers rental subsidy for over 1000 units throughout the community.

#### Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.

400 North Fourth Street Bismarck, ND 58501

Phone: (800) 638-3278 (Toll Free) Email: <u>customerservice@mdu.com</u> Website: <u>www.montana-dakota.com</u>

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Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. offers gas, electric, and repair services to customers in Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wyoming.

# **Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services**

Human Resource Development Council

District VII

7 North 31st Street PO Box 2016 Billings, MT 59103

Phone 1: (406) 247-4732 Phone 2: (800) 433-1411

District VII Human Resource Development (HRDC) offers low-income energy assistance through the administration of two programs: the Weatherization Program and the Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP).

The Weatherization Program helps participants to improve the heating efficiency of their homes and thus reduce their energy consumption.

The Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) pays part of winter energy bills for eligible people. Most utilities offer LIEAP recipients discounts on their bills.

# **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

# **Tribal Housing Authority**

PO Box 327

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6419

Website: <u>www.nctribalhousing.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Tribal Housing Authority provides low-rent housing to eligible families and the elderly. They also provide financial management and home buyer education classes. Applications are also available for home improvement assistance through the USDA for elderly and income families.

# **Low Income Housing and Energy**

# Assistance Program

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8459

The Low Income Housing and Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) helps low income families with purchasing propane, electricity, or wood.

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# **Housing Assistance Council**

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6793

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 4:30pm

The Housing Assistance Council assists tribal members with obtaining loans and grants from the Rural Economic and Community Development Program for home repairs and new homes. Individuals must be 62 years or older.

## **Utility Commission**

PO Box 747

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6318 Fax: (406) 477-6779

Hours: Monday – Friday, 7am – 5pm

The Utility Commission offers water and sewer services, grave digging, and septic tank cleaning.

#### LEARNING AND RECREATION

## **Chief Two Moons Monument**

Busby, MT

This historic monument was built in 1936 in memory of Chief Two Moons, who participated in the Battle of the Little Big Horn.

#### St. Labre Indian School and Museum

Ashland, MT

Phone: (406) 784-4500

Hours: Memorial Day – Labor Day, 8am – 4:30 pm

The school was established in 1884 by the Franciscan Order. The visitor center, Cheyenne Indian Museum, and Gift Store are important showplaces of Cheyenne heritage and art. The Cheyenne Indian Museum features Plains artifacts and a documentary film on the Saint Labre School.

# **Mallards Landing Fishing Access Site**

**Montana Fish Wildlife and Parks** 2300 Lake Elmo Drive Billings, MT 59105



Phone: (406) 247-2940 Email: fwprg52@mt.gov Website: www.fwp.mt.gov

Mallard's Landing Fishing Access does permit camping. There is a 7 day stay limit. A boat launch, toilets and access for camp trailers is available. Open all season on the Bighorn River. Good fishing and floating opportunities.

#### ZooMontana

2100 South Shiloh Road Billings, MT 59106 Phone: (406) 652-8100 Fax: (406) 652-9281

Email: <u>zoomt@zoomontana.org</u> Website: <u>www.zoomontana.org</u>

The mission of ZooMontana is to create an enjoyable, recreational and educational experience while providing quality care for the animal and plant collections and appropriate propagation programs for species that are needed. It is the only zoo and botanical garden in the state. The exhibits include Amur (Siberian) Tiger, Bald Eagle, Barn, Discovery Center, Wolf, Grizzly Bear, Living Wall, North American River Otter, Northern Mainland Sika Deer, Red Panda, Turkey Vulture, and Waterfowl.

## **Yellowstone Art Museum**

401 North 27th Street Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 256-6804

The Yellowstone Art Museum is Montana's premiere art museum, presenting Montana's most forward-looking artists. The museum brings to Montana historic and world art significant to the region.

#### **LEGAL AND IMMIGRATION**

# **Big Horn County**

**District Court** 

Room 221, Second Floor Big Horn County Courthouse 121 West 3rd PO Box 908 Hardin, MT 59034 Phone: (406) 665-9750

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Fax: (406) 665-9755

Website: www.bighorn.mt.gov/district\_court

The Big Horn County District Court provides assistance with obtaining a marriage license and passport.

## **Montana Legal Services**

2442 First Avenue North Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 248-7113

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Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm; Wednesday, 1pm - 5pm

Montana Legal Services offers advice in almost every area of law, except criminal law. They are in Lame Deer at the Tribal Court office every Wednesday.

# **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

#### **Tribal Court**

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone 1: (406) 477-8340 Phone 2: (406) 477-8349

Hours: Monday - Thursday, 8am - 5pm; Friday, 8am - 12pm

The Tribal Court hears adult criminal and civil cases, children civil cases, and appellate cases.

#### **Rosebud County**

## **Clerk of District Court**

1200 Main Street PO Box 48 Forsyth, MT 59327 Phone: (406) 346-7322

Fax: (406) 346-2719

The Clerk of District Court Office is the official keeper of all District Court records for Rosebud County, including adoption, civil, criminal, dependent neglect, domestic relations, guardianship, juvenile, paternity, and probate and sanity cases. The Clerk also issues, files and records all Rosebud County marriage license applications and licenses. The majority of all records are open to the public. Searches, copies and certified copies are provided upon request.

#### Justice of the Peace Court

1200 Main Street, 1st Floor PO Box 504 Forsyth, MT 59327 Phone: (406) 346-2638

Fax: (406) 346-2639

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The Justice of the Peace Court hears small claims actions under \$7,000, civil actions under \$12,000, landlord tenant actions, domestic protective orders, highway patrol citations, sheriff's department citations, county attorney complaints, misdemeanors, felony (initial appearances), fish and game citations, MCS Department of Transportation citations, Montana Department of Livestock citations, and Montana Public Service citations.

## **Juvenile Probation**

16th Judicial District 1010 Main Street Miles City, MT 59301 Phone 1: (406) 874-3418 Phone 2: (406) 874-3382

Fax: (406) 874-3337

The Juvenile Probation Office provides the services of Juvenile Probation Officers. It serves Rosebud, Treasure, Powder River and Custer Counties.

### **SOCIAL SERVICES**

## **Billings Food Bank**

2112 4th Avenue North PO Box 1158

Billings, MT 59103

Phone: (406) 259-2856 Fax: (406) 259-9847

Email: foodbank@imt.net

Website: <u>www.billingsfoodbank.com</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Billings Food Bank gathers food and other essentials to meet the needs of the under privileged in the community. The food bank accepts donations of food all year around and each and every donation is greatly appreciated. The food bank is always looking for volunteers to help with processing and distribution of the food that is collected. The food bank provides food to various client programs at no cost to the agency or to their individual clients.

#### **Bureau of Indian Affairs**

**Indian Child Welfare Act Intervention Program** 

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8051

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

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The ICWA Intervention Program provides intervention services for Cheyenne children who are in the State courts. The program intervenes by providing extended family placements, parent and advocate training, and family follow-up after placement.

#### **Social Services**

PO Box 40

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8051

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 4:30pm

The Bureau of Indian Affairs Social Services administers social services for residents of the Northern Cheyenne Reservation who are an enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe.

## **Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services**

Child and Family Services Division Eastern Region 1 (Rosebud County)

708 Palmer PO Box 880

Miles City, MT 59301 Phone 1: (406) 234-1385

Phone 2: (866) 820-5437 (Child Abuse Toll Free) Phone 3: (866) 341-8811 (Child Abuse TTY) Phone 4: (866) 936-7837 (Foster Care)

Fax: (406) 234-7655

Email: <u>AskAboutFosterCare@mt.gov</u> Website: <u>www.dphhs.mt.gov/cfsd</u>

# Child and Family Services Division South Central Region III (Big Horn County)

2525 4th Avenue North

Suite 309

Billings, MT 59101

Phone 1: (406) 657-3120

Phone 2: (866) 820-5437 (Child Abuse Toll Free) Phone 3: (866) 341-8811 (Child Abuse TTY)

Phone 4: (866) 936-7837 (Foster Care)

Fax: (406) 657-3178

Email: <u>AskAboutFosterCare@mt.gov</u> Website: <u>www.dphhs.mt.gov/cfsd</u>

The Children & Family Services Division provides state and federally mandated protective services to children who are abused, neglected or abandoned. This includes receiving and investigating reports of child abuse and neglect, working

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## **Office of Public Assistance**

# **Big Horn County**

23 West Eighth

PO Box 426

Hardin, MT 59034 Phone: (406) 665-8700

Fax: (406) 665-8752

Website: www.dphhs.mt.gov/programsservices/ pubilcassistanceprograms

# **Office of Public Assistance**

**Rosebud County Lame Deer Office** 

PO Box 276

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6251

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

# **Office of Public Assistance**

Rosebud County
Forsyth Office
121 North 11th Avenue
PO Box 5016
Forsyth, MT 59327

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Phone: (406) 346-2563 Fax: (406) 346-7166

The **Big Horn County Office of Public** assistance administers Montana Medicaid, the Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC), and other programs for income-eligible children and families.

**Montana Medicaid** pays for a broad range of medically necessary health care and long-term care.

The **Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP)** provides supplemental food assistance.

**Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)** provides temporary financial assistance to families who have minor children, certain relatives with whom minor children are living, including siblings, women in their last trimester of pregnancy who have no other eligible children, and/or refugees with minor dependent children.

The **Special Supplemental Nutritional Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)** provides nutritious foods such as iron-fortified cereal, milk, eggs, peanut butter, dried beans, and formula as well as nutrition education.

# **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

#### **Human Services**

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043

Phone: (406) 477-8321 ext. 4

Fax: (406) 477-8333

The Northern Cheyenne Human Services assists with foster care and adoption, including foster and adoption home licensure.

# **ICWA Program**

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4324

The Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA) Program assists with placing Northern Cheyenne children in foster and adoptive homes with Northern Cheyenne relatives or families.



## Rosebud Lodge

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 592-3528

The Rosebud Lodge is the Northern Cheyenne Shelter Home for Children.

# **Commodity Program**

PO Box 128

Lame Deer, 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8485

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The Commodity Program provides basic food to eligible families on the Northern Cheyenne Reservation.

### **Rosebud County**

# **Department of Family Services**

121 North 11th PO Box 241

Forsyth, MT 59327

Phone 1: (406) 346-7918

Phone 2: (866) 820-5437 (To report abuse)

Fax: (406) 346-7166

The Department of Family Services provides the services of a Child Protection Specialist.

# SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH

#### AltaCare

Lame Deer High School

PO Box

Lame Deer, MT 59043

Phone 1: (406) 477-6305 ext. 1127 Phone 2: (800) 477-1067 (Toll Free)

AltaCare is a mental health treatment provider that is available at Lame Deer High School. They provide intensive outpatient treatment to adolescents while they attend school. Altacare staff includes a licensed therapist and a mental health associate. They work closely with the school principals and other

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#### **Blessed Sacrament Church**

PO Box 100

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6384

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 3:30pm

Wednesday and Thursday, 8pm (12 Step Program)

Sunday, 11am (Religious Education)

Blessed Sacrament Church offers spiritual counseling, a 12 Step program, and religious education.

# **Northern Cheyenne Nation**

Health Department Behavioral Health

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4514

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 4:30pm

Behavioral Health delivers therapy, counseling, and other kinds of treatment for substance abuse and other behavioral health services. They also provide consultation, education and prevention services.

# **Health Department**

# **Meth Suicide Prevention Initiative**

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-4944

Website: <u>www.nctribalhealth.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

The Meth Suicide Prevention Initiative works to reduce methamphetamine and suicidal attempts, behaviors, and activities through prevention education and treatment based approaches.

# **Health Department**

#### **Tobacco Prevention**

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone 1: (406) 477-4947 Phone 2: (406) 477-4953

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

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The Tobacco Prevention program works to educate the community on tobacco use and seeks to prevent tobacco addiction.

#### **Health Department**

# **Recovery Center**

PO Box 857

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8733

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The mission of the Recovery Center is to reduce the incidence and prevalence of alcohol and other drug use, abuse, and addiction through outreach, prevention, outpatient treatment, and residential treatment and referral.

# **Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services**

Addictive and Mental Disorders Division Children's Mental Health Bureau

2121 Rosebud Drive Suite C-1

Billings, MT 59102 Phone: (406) 655-7602 Fax: (406) 652-1895

The Children's Mental Health Bureau provides mental health services for children under age 18. Services include Medicaid mental health services such as inpatient psychiatric services and outpatient partial hospitalization programs, community-based services, mental health center community-based outpatient services, and services by mental health professionals. The Bureau also provides non-Medicaid Mental Health Services including the Children's Mental Health Services Plan and Supplemental Services Plan.

# Addictive and Mental Disorders Division Montana Chemical Dependency Center

2500 Continental Drive Butte, MT 59701

Phone: (406) 496-5400 Fax: (406) 496-5437

The Montana Chemical Dependency Center is the only in-patient center administered by the State. The Center serves individuals 18 years of age or older who have been diagnosed as having an addiction to drugs or alcohol or who suffer from both addiction and mental disorders. The center provides detoxification and a full range of medically monitored treatments.

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# Addictive and Mental Disorders Division Montana State Hospital

PO Box 300

Warm Springs, MT 59756 Phone 1: (406) 693-7069

Phone 2: (406) 693-7213 (TTY)

Fax: (406) 693-7069

The Montana State Hospital is the only public psychiatric hospital in the state. The Hospital provides inpatient psychiatric treatment for adults with serious mental illness. Services provided include evaluation and assessment; medication management; individual and group therapy; psycho-educational programs; rehabilitation and vocational services; chemical dependency treatment; and peer support.

# Addictive and Mental Disorders Division Montana Mental Health Nursing Care Center

800 Casino Creek Drive Lewiston, MT 59457 Phone: (406) 538-7451

Fax: (406) 538-2863

The Montana Mental Health Nursing Care Center is a long term care facility for individuals who have a mental disorder, require a level of care not available in the community, but who cannot benefit from the intense psychiatric treatment available at Montana State Hospital.

# **Montana Wyoming Tribal Leaders Council**

Rocky Mountain Tribal Access to Recovery Northern Cheyenne Service Area Northern Cheyenne Recovery Center

PO Box 67

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8259 Fax: (406) 477-6419

Website: www.mtwytlc.org/tlc-programs/access-to-recovery

The Rocky Mountain Tribal Access to Recovery (RMT ATR) grant to the Montana-Wyoming Tribal Leaders Council (MWTLC), from SAMHSA provides American Indians in Montana and Wyoming an expanded array of choices for clinical treatment and recovery support services for substance abuse and dependency.



# **Planting Seeds of Hope**

**Northern Cheyenne Service Area** 

175 North 27th Street Suite 1003

Suite 1005

Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 252-2550

Fax: (406) 254-6355

The mission of the Planting Seeds of Hope Project is to improve access to suicide prevention services across Montana tribal communities, while identifying and reducing barriers to care and health disparities as they apply to American Indian Youth and their communities. Planting Seeds of Hope seeks to build resilience in Native American youth and build capacity for suicide prevention on the reservations by promoting awareness, training gatekeepers, implementing screening and brief intervention in universal settings, building protective factors for youth and veterans, implementing interventions for youth who have attempted suicide, helping families who have lost someone to suicide, and strengthening coordination and collaboration across all sectors.

# **Rocky Mountain Tribal Wellness Initiative**

175 North 27th Street

Suite 1003

Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 252-2550

Fax: (406) 254-6355

The Rocky Mountain Tribal Wellness Initiative is a substance abuse prevention program that follows a strategic process developed by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA).

# **Rimrock Foundation**

1231 North 29th Street

Billings, MT 59101

Phone 1: (406) 248-3175 Phone 2: (800) 226-3953

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

Rimrock Foundation provides detox and residential treatment services for alcohol and drug dependency. Services are available to individuals 12 years and older.



## **Youth Dynamics**

## **Colstrip Office**

Isabel Elementary School 520 Poplar Drive Room 145 B Colstrip, MT 59323

Phone 1: 406-748-3084 Phone 2: (406) 748-3068 Phone 3: 1 (800) 406-7170

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

Youth Dynamics offers substance abuse treatment services as well as other services related to behavioral and emotional health for youth and their families. The Colstrip Office serves the community of Lame Deer.

#### **YOUTH SUPPORT**

#### **Blackhorse Pride**

Phone: (406) 465-1639

Email: blackhorsepride@yahoo.com

Blackhorse Pride is a Native led and community initiated non-profit organization dedicated to instilling pride in Native youth by helping them reaffirm their cultural heritage as a basis for fulfilling their dreams and potential. There are two main programs: Rodeo for a Future and Native Connections.

Rodeo for a Future focuses on rodeo and horsemanship as a way for Native youth to reconnect with their traditional culture as horse people. It focuses on youth from the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation.

Native Connections focuses on developing a strong tribal identity for Native youth living in urban areas, specifically in the Helena, Montana urban Indian community. Young urban Indians have the opportunity to participate in traditional cultural activities through this program.

# **Boys and Girls Club of the Northern Cheyenne Nation**

101 Cheyenne Avenue

PO Box 309

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6654

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

The Club provides recreation, learning, and cultural activities for youth ages

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5-19 throughout the year. They also have a feeding program and a computer technology center.

#### **Cheyenne Children Services**

PO Box 723

Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-8160

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm

Cheyenne Children Services is a 501(c) (3) designated non-profit organization providing educational materials and support to children from low-income families on the Northern Cheyenne Reservation.

### **Child Find**

737 South Billings Boulevard #0 Billings, MT 59101

Phone: (406) 259-6999 (24-Hour)

Child Find is a referral office to help locate missing children and educate children on what to do if approached by a stranger.

## **Circle of Life Youth Group**

Muddy Cluster, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-6797

Hours: Tuesdays, 6pm - 7:30pm

The Circle of Life Youth Group is available for ages 10-18. Activities include cooking, baking, sewing, swimming, beadwork, and summer trips.

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# Child and Family Services Division Big Horn County

409 North Center

PO Box 367

Hardin, MT 59034

Phone 1: (406) 665-9840

Phone 2: 1 (866) 820-5437 (Report Child Abuse Toll Free) Phone 3: 1 (866) 341-8811 (Report Child Abuse TTY)

Phone 4: 1 (866) 936-7837 (Foster Care)

Fax: (406) 665-9844

Email: AskAboutFosterCare@mt.gov

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# Montana Youth ChalleNGe Academy

790 East Cornell Street

Dillon, MT 59725

Phone 1: (877) 367-6927 (Toll Free) Phone 2: (406) 683-7556 (Central Office)

Phone 3: (406) 865-0119 (East/South Central Region)

Fax: (406) 683-7545 (Central Fax)

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Email 1: mtchallenge@umwestern.edu (Central Office)

Email 2: m\_pederson@umwestern.edu (East/South Central Region)

The Montana Youth ChalleNGe Academy assists at-risk Montana youth in developing skills and abilities to become productive citizens. They focus on the physical, emotional, and educational needs of the youth and provide a highly structured environment. The Montana Youth ChalleNGe Academy is part of the National Guard Youth ChalleNGe Program.

#### **Second Season**

PO Box 1199 Lame Deer, MT 59043 Phone: (406) 477-3570

Second Season is a diversion program for court involved youth. They redirect youth through building on their individual strengths in order to create stronger and healthy leaders in the community. They utilize community resources, members and activities.

# St. Labre Youth and Family Services

PO Box 458

Ashland, MT 59003 Phone: (406) 784-4522

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 4:30pm

The St. Labre Youth and Family Services provide residential child care, counseling, horsemanship instruction, and a clothing store. Eligible children are 6 – 17 years old.

# **Ted Lechner Youth Services Center**

410 South 26th Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 256-6825

The Ted Lechner Youth Services Center provides temporary shelter care to youth that have emotional and behavioral problems and who are referred through a recognized child-placing agency. Examples of youth served include abused, neglected and runaway youth.

# **Tumbleweed Runaway Program, Inc.**

505 North 24th Street Billings, MT 59101

Phone 1: (406) 259-2558 Phone 2: (800) 816-4702

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

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Tumbleweed Runaway Program, Inc. provides services for youth between the ages of 10 and 18 and their families. Services include crisis intervention, counseling, information, referral, etc. Tumbleweed also has a Building Skills for Adulthood Program, a mentoring and independent living program for youth ages 16 to 21 who are in State foster care. This program seeks to prepare older youth for the adult community.

## Yellowstone Boys and Girls Ranch

# **Community-Based Services**

3212 1st Avenue South Billings, MT 59101 Phone: (406) 245-2751

Fax: (406) 256-7026

#### **Residential Services**

1732 South 72nd Street West Billings, MT 59106-3599 Phone 1: (406) 655-2100 Phone 2: (800)726-6755

Fax: (406) 656-0021

# Yellowstone Academy

1750 Ray of Hope Lane Billings, MT 59106-3599 Phone: (406) 656-2198 Fax: (406) 656-2328

The mission of the Yellowstone Boys and Girls Ranch is to provide quality mental health and education services that promote the emotional, behavioral, spiritual and physical development of children, adolescents and their families. Community Based Services (CBS) is a licensed and accredited mental health center providing a broad range of services for children, youth, and their families including Youth Case Management, School Based Services, Therapeutic Foster Care, Therapeutic Family Living, Youth and Family Support, Transitional Living Services, Pastoral Care services and Lewiston Community Home. The Residential Services provides psychiatric residential treatment for emotionally disturbed youth. The Yellowstone Academy is the on-campus educational facility that provides special education programming.



#### **Youth Dynamics**

Colstrip Office Isabel Elementary School

520 Poplar Drive Room 145 B

Colstrip, MT 59323 Phone 1: 406-748-3084

Phone 2: (406) 748-3068 Phone 3: 1 (800) 406-7170

Website: <u>www.youthdynamics.org</u> Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm

Youth Dynamics provides a full range of youth centered mental health and substance abuse outpatient and residential services. They also provide foster care visitation services, case management and emergency shelter care programs.









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